

## Message Text

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PAGE 01 TEL AV 03892 221547Z  
ACTION SS-25

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 SSO-00 /026 W  
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P R 221339Z MAR 78  
FM AMEMBASSY TEL AVIV  
TO /USMISSION SINAI PRIORITY 713  
INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 2083  
AMEBASSY CAIRO

S E C R E T TEL AVIV 3892

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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: MARR, EG, IS, US  
SUBJECT: AIR SURVEILLANCE RADAR AT E-1

REF: (A) SINAI 613, (B) TEL AVIV 125

1. WE BELIEVE YOUR DRAFT LETTER HAS ESSENTIALLY THE  
RIGHT TONE AND MAKES THE NECESSARY POINTS. WE WOULD  
SUGGEST ONLY TWO MINOR CHANGES IN ORDER TO MAKE YOUR  
RESPONSE TO GAZIT MORE FIRM.

2. IN THE SECOND SENTENCE OF YOUR PROPOSED TEXT AFTER  
THE WORDS "NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER OF 1977" WE SUGGEST YOU  
MIGHT ADD "AND MOST RECENTLY ON JANUARY 4, 1978" (SEE  
REFTEL B). AT THE END OF THAT SENTENCE FOLLOWING THE WORDS  
"DEFENSE MINISTER WEIZMAN" WYOU MIGHT WISH TO SAY "IN  
ORDER TO GIVE YOU AMPLE OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE YOUR VIEWS  
KNOWN."  
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## Message Attributes

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